

THE LIVE STOCK SITUATION IN MISSOURI

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The high rank of Missouri as a livestock state is shown by the receipts, 1915, of cattle and calves, hogs, sheep and horses and mules, at the stock yards of St. Louis, Kansas City and St. Joseph, announces a Bureau of Labor Statistics bulletin issued by Commissioner John T. Fitzpatrick, which was prepared by Supervisor of Statistics A. T. Edmonston. Four stock yards, two of which belong to St. Louis, and one each in Kansas City and St. Joseph, during the year in question handled 3,428,301 heads of cattle; 7,170,442 heads of hogs; 3,494,182 heads of sheep and 417,596 heads of horses and mules, a total of 14,510,521 heads of livestock.

Driven two abreast the livestock mentioned would form a line 1,100 miles long allowing 8 feet, which is merely providing breathing room for each team. To further illustrate the length of such a procession it took 260,037 average sized stock cars in 1915 to handle this monstrous turnout of cattle, hogs, sheep and horses and mules, which came from states as far west as the Rocky Mountains, as far south as the Gulf of Mexico, as far north as the Canadian border and as far east as Indiana and the eastern foot hills of Kentucky and Tennessee.

The aggregated value of this total collection of quadrupeds was approximately 428,200,000, enough money to build 28 dreadnaughts at \$15,000,000 each and give President Wilson a big boost in his campaign of preparedness. The two St. Louis stock yards are the National and Independent, which, in 1915, together, handled 1,023,332 head of cattle; 2,941,870 heads of hogs; 801,567 heads of sheep and 274,189 heads of horses and mules, which was enough to fill 100,626 freight cars. The Kansas City stock yards handled 1,963,498 heads of cattle; 2,530,730 heads of hogs; 1,814,183 heads of sheep and 102,153 heads of horses and mules, which collection of livestock was enough to fill 114,617 cattle cars.

St. Joseph received and handled 441,471 heads of cattle; 1,697,842 heads of hogs; 877,930 heads of sheep, 41,254 heads of horses and mules, it taking 44,794 cattle cars to handle these 1915 receipts.

KANSAS WOMAN REGAINS HER MANY LOSSES

After Years of Disappointments She Claims Master Medicine Tanlac Gave Back Health

The story of Mrs. M. E. Franklin, who is spending the winter with her daughter at 143 North Market Street, Wichita, Kan., of how her appetite, rest and real former self were restored after long sufferings from stomach trouble, bronchitis, coughing spells and dropping of mucous from her head to her throat an almost general run-down condition, proved one of the most interesting of the hundreds of Tanlac tales told since the Master Medicine was introduced in Missouri.

"My friends tell me that I am looking healthier than I have for a long time," testified Mrs. Franklin, and it was all due to Tanlac.

"I heard of Tanlac by accident, it was this way: A neighbor called to see me one day and noticing that I was not looking so well, spoke of Tanlac and suggested that I give it a trial. It set me thinking and the next time I went down town I stopped in to see the 'Tanlac Man' and purchased a bottle.

"I have taken four bottles of Tanlac to-date and I feel greatly relieved, in fact such a change has come over me that my friends notice it and tell me of it. My appetite is good and I have gained several pounds in weight and I know Tanlac has benefitted me in every way."

Tanlac is meant to correct such a malady from which Mrs. Franklin suffered. There are hundreds of people in this city and vicinity suffering from the same ailments.

Tanlac is now on sale in Monett by the A. H. Cox Drug store for \$1.00 a bottle, three for \$2.75 or six bottles for \$5.00. Adv. d&w

Ed Nagel, of Purdy, visited in Monett, Tuesday.

CASSVILLE NEWS

Wm. Fleming and T. D. Steele of Monett, had business here Friday morning.

B. Shore and family of Monett, visited relatives and friends in this city Sunday and returned home Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Thomas of near this city, went to Monett, Tuesday morning to attend his daughter, Mrs. John Chastain, who is very sick.

Mrs. Cora Whitely nee Earle, of Amarilla, Texas, has recovered from recent sickness and is up and around again. This will be good news to her many relatives and friends in this county.

A. L. McGill who resides 8 miles out on the Shell Knob road, had the misfortune to get his residence, household goods, barn and feed burned up about 4 or 5 o'clock in the morning in the early part of the week. The fire originated in the kitchen and was under good headway when discovered. He had \$800 insurance on house and goods, barn, feed and a span of mules. The mules were saved.—Democrat.

SOUTH MONETT NEWS

Mrs. J. L. Moudy is visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. B. Kirby and family for a few days.

Mrs. Martha Hankins, of Cassville, and Mrs. Vera Pebble and little daughter, of Quanah, Tex., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Black.

Mrs. L. Vaughan is visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. W. Vaughan.

Roscoe Prior who has been working here has returned to his home near Purdy, where he will spend the summer.

Ora Eden is on the sick list.

SOUTH MONETT NEWS

Joe Anderson is some better today. Jack Kirby has returned home after a short visit with his grandparents near Kings Prairie.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Moudy have returned from near Springfield, where they attended the funeral of Mrs. Moudy's sister, Mrs. Susie Lasley.

Miss Margaret Edgar will be hostess to the Auction Bridge club, Thursday afternoon.

FIRE AT LAWRENCEBURG

Fire destroyed a two-story building at Lawrenceburg, Lawrence county, Wednesday belonging to Geo. C. Merriam. The building was valued at \$3,000 and the stock of goods in the store was valued at \$5,000. There was insurance to the amount of \$5,000. A Masonic lodge occupied the second floor of the building. As the front door was found to be open it was thought that the fire was started by robbers to cover up their theft.

FUNERAL SERVICE

Funeral services for Glen Hutchison were held at the home of his uncle at Berwick, Friday morning. Part of the funeral party came overland and some came on the train. The remains were laid to rest in Oakdale cemetery with prayer by Rev. Miller. A number of the schoolmates of Glen came here with the family. His death was caused by spinal meningitis, with which he had been ill for six weeks.

THE CITY WELL

The contractors have drilled the new city well to a depth of over 1700 feet and have recently struck another water strata. The water now raises to within 80 feet of the surface. Another test of the flow will be made soon.

Your order is not too small to receive proper attention at Callaway's.

HUMPHREYS' Witch Hazel Oil

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For Piles or Hemorrhoids, External or Internal, Blind or Bleeding, Itching or Burning. One application brings relief. Two sizes, 25c, and \$1.00, at all druggists or mailed. Send Free Sample of Oil to

Humphreys' Homeo. Medicine Company, 156 William Street, New York.

SICK ANIMALS

A BIG BOOK on diseases of Horses, Cattle, Sheep, Dogs and Poultry, mailed free. Humphreys' Veterinary Medicine, 156 William Street, New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Mace Jacques, Misses May Peters and Myrtle White went to St. Louis, Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Flehmer, of Peirce City, visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles McKenna, Sunday.

Miss Hazel Porter, of Joplin, visited Mrs. Harry Carrithers, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. O. W. Bruton and Mrs. B. P. McCaslin visited in Springfield, Saturday.

James Steele, who is working in Springfield, visited with his family here, Sunday.

Miss Elsie Black of Pleasant Ridge is visiting her sister, Mrs. Milton Brunner.

Mrs. J. B. Kirkpatrick, who had been visiting Mrs. C. H. Ring, went to Peirce City, Monday morning.

Earl Lauderdale, Harry Loyd, Miss Maude Rice and Miss Florence Rice drove to Aurora, Sunday.

Miss Kathryn Skouby has returned from a visit with her parents at St. James.

Mrs. M. E. Drowley is visiting her son, Jesse Dowley, and wife at Webb City.

Mrs. E. T. Jay and baby, of Springfield, are visiting Mrs. F. E. Shaffer.

O. J. Gurley, of Granby and Miss Maggie Paul, of Wheaton, were married at Neosho, Friday, February 19.

Mrs. W. D. Wainright, of McDowell, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Wainright, Saturday night.

Arthur L. Hodson, of Joplin, and Mrs. Lavina Majors, of Peirce City, were recently married.

G. L. Brownfield's baby is in a critical condition today, with whooping cough and complications.

GRANDCHILD FOR TEDDY

Richmond, Feb. 17.—A cablegram from Buenos Aires, Argentina, announces the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Roosevelt. Mrs. Roosevelt was Miss Belle Willard of Richmond, daughter of the American minister at Madrid. Mrs. Roosevelt has been in Buenos Aires two months. This is Colonel Roosevelt's fifth grandchild.

Try a Times want ad.

T. D. Pitts came home from Cassville, Tuesday morning. He reports Mrs. Pitts as a little better.

Miss Mabel Solomon, of Peirce City, is spending the week with her brother, Jim Solomon, and family.

Hugh Miller and Claud Woods have returned from a short visit in Kansas City.

Mrs. W. S. Sevier and Miss Ethyle Martin spent Sunday and Monday in Joplin.

Mrs. Chas. Blood has gone to Eldon, Ia., where she was called by the illness of an aunt.

Mrs. M. L. Crawford and son Lewis will return tomorrow from a visit with relatives at Watts, Ok.

Jake Davis, one of the prominent attorneys of Cassville, was in the city on business, Tuesday.

Mrs. M. E. Atkinson went to Joplin, Wednesday morning, to visit her husband, who is working there.

Sprattley & Lehnhard received a car load of Overlands, Monday. O. H. Hudson has purchased one of them.

Porter Smith's baby drank half a cup of gasoline, Sunday, and was quite ill for a time.

Ed Herron walked to town, Monday morning, for the first time in several months.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Birkenbach, of Peirce City, visited Mr. and Mrs. Will Birkenbach, Sunday.

Mrs. D. B. Kingery and Miss Fern returned home, Wednesday morning, from Rochester, Minn., where Mrs. Kingery was operated upon for gall stones. She is getting along nicely.

Superintendent Baltzell, of the Central division of the Frisco, and his chief clerk, Mr. Witt, of Fort Smith, Ark., were in Monett, Monday on their way to Springfield.

Prof. and Mrs. Marcus Peterson, of Aurora, were here Tuesday night to attend the open meeting of the Music club at the home of Mr. F. E. Shaffer.

W. K. Pilkenton, of Chicago, has come to Monett to take a position in the claim department of the Frisco. He takes the place of Howard Todd, who has been transferred to Sapulpa, Ok. Mr. Todd has not yet gone to his new location.

Sacrifice Opened
February 19

Our Final Sacrifice

LASTS
15 Days

Owning to the bad condition of the roads many people were unable to attend our great SACRIFICE SALE. The management OF THE BOSTON STORE has decided to continue this great sale 15 DAYS longer. All former SALE PRICES will be CUT and SLASHED to pieces. Note following further sacrifices—

==Sale Opened Saturday, February 19th---Lasts 15 Days==

RAIN COATS	
All \$3.00 raincoats will go at ..	\$1.69
All misses' raincoats, with cap attached	\$1.19
Men's and Ladies' heavy overshoes, \$1.25 values	
	89c
Men's and boys' heavy lined duck coats will be sacrificed:	
\$1.50 value	98c
\$2.50 value	\$1.48
\$4.00 value	\$1.98
A few ladies coats and suits left; all good sizes.	
One lot \$8.00 values	\$2.98
All \$12 and \$15 values	\$4.98

All Men's Blue Leather \$4.00 Shoes \$1.98
will go at

Every Ladies' \$4.00 Shoes \$1.75
will go at

Must Sacrifice Every Ladies Coat in the House--Price Will be no Object--We Can't Afford to Carry Them Over.

One Lot, Plush Collars and Cuffs, \$5.00 value 98c
All Ladies \$6.00 Coats must go at \$2.98

All men's 2 piece heavy fleeced underwear, 50c value 19c	All men's heavy fleeced union suits. \$1.00 value 53c	Men's extra heavy fleeced union suits, Vellastic brand \$1.50 values 65c	All boys heavy fleeced union suits, \$1.00 values 39c
Boys and girls sweaters, shawl collar, 75c value 23c	men's leather palm work gloves, all 25c values 17c	Ladies' and men's 15c hose will go at per pair 5c 6 pair limit	All men's caps, plushes included, up to \$1.00 values 48c

EVERY ARTICLE MUST BE SOLD--PRICE NO OBJECT

We have not room to quote prices but a visit to the Boston Store will convince you that it will pay to reserve your suit purchase until getting our prices.

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All Men's Rubber Boots and Shoes, United States Brand, at YOUR PRICE.

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